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The female composers in the Boston "Traveler" office earn from \$12 to \$20 per week.

Out of one million children born in Paris every year, seventy-five thousands are illegitimate, and of the illegitimate children 61 per cent. are never recognized.

GEN. WEBB ON THE CUBANS.

General James Watson Webb, in a letter to the N. Y. Tribune, says he was told by the agent of the Associate Press that he knew the fact that a late major-general in our army, now living in New York, has offered his services to bring twenty thousand soldiers to Havana and drive the Cubans from the island, if needs be; and another major-general, who served during the rebellion, and now resides in Massachusetts, has written to the captain-general, offering to bring down forty thousand men for the same purpose. The public would like to have the names of these devoted friends of Spanish tyranny.

THE IRON-CLAD ATLANTA.

The New York Herald says that private intelligence has been received in New York of the safety of the iron-clad Atlanta of Triunfo, which was sold to an agent of Salvage and sailed for Hayti last December. It appears that a short time after the execution of Salvage the Atlanta arrived off the harbor of Port au Prince, but the officer in charge, hearing that the purchaser had been executed, and no one came to claim the vessel, departed and rendezvoused around the Bahamas or some of the islands on the West Indian archipelago, and consequently it would be very difficult to hear from her. She is believed to be all right and no doubt by this time negotiations for her purchase have been entered into by Saget, the successor of the unhappy Salvage. She now probably is safely riding at anchor in some snug West Indian harbor.

ROMAN VILLA AND MUSEUM FOR SALE.

The Villa Albani, now owned by the Prince Torlonia, and one of the best known and most richly stored with works of art in the vicinity of Rome, is offered, with all its treasures, for sale, the price asked being \$2,500,000. Hon. John Bigelow writes to Wm. C. Bryant, editor of the N. Y. Evening Post, and president of the lately organized Metropolitan Art Museum Association, to suggest the purchase of the villa by the association. It is improbable that so good an opportunity will soon again be offered, to secure for this country the art collection of which it sorely stands in need. The Albani Villa museum, among Roman collections, is reckoned inferior in value only to those of the Vatican and the Capitol, and it is especially rich in Greek statuary of the best period. Among these are: a famous bas-relief of Antinous, said by Winckelmann to be, after the Apollo and Laocoon, the most beautiful monument of antiquity extant; and a bronze Apollo, believed to be the original statue by Praxiteles and described by Pliny. There are also Egyptian and Etruscan collections and a picture gallery containing works by Perugino, Giulio Romano, Guido, Domenichino and others.

Mr. Bigelow suggests that the edifice and grounds, if not needed, might be sold at a price that would greatly reduce the cost of its contents, or "it might perhaps be worth the while of your association to consider the practicability of retaining it and converting it into a school for American artists in Rome, similar to the schools sustained there and at Athens by the government of France, to which a few of the most promising young artists in the empire are now sent to study at the public expense for the public advantage. This villa would make a delightful residence, and might be converted into an 'Artists' Home' upon some basis that, at no inordinate expense, might render incalculable service to American art, and reflect great honor upon your association."

MR. BUTLER OF TENNESSEE GEN. SUR'D.

The action of the House of Representatives, in refusing to expel Mr. Butler, of Tennessee, for receiving money for the appointment to a cadetship, will be met with universal condemnation. It is true that a resolution to that effect received 102 votes in the affirmative to 65 in the negative, but wanting the requisite two-thirds, it was defeated. A vote of censure however, was passed unanimously.

A body of men, that a few days before with a righteous indignation demanded the instant expulsion of Mr. Whittemore for the same offence, has lowered its high standard of morality most suddenly, to be satisfied now with a single vote of censure upon Mr. Butler. This man had prostituted his office and his opportunities for personal gain, and no longer deserves to associate with honorable men, and it would seem natural for a body of honorable men to rid itself of the presence of a member whose official connection with it is a reproach to its good name and character. With such an inconsistency as is apparent in the action of the House in the two cases of Whittemore and Butler, public men will cease to wonder at the popular belief that a life in Washington is most corrupting in its influence. If the House of Representatives choose to allow a member to continue in membership of that body whom it considers so guilty of dishonorable official conduct as to deserve and to receive a unanimous vote of censure, it will find that it has brought as much reproach upon itself as it will shame upon the country. For by its own record it has proclaimed to the world that its own members are not all honorable men.

It opened the cadetship investigations with a tragedy, followed in its second act with a farce. It is now time that such a drama closed. The actors are not "stars" in both performances.

PERSONAL.

Gerrit Smith has sent another thousand dollars to the suffering Cubans.

It is stated that Alexander Dumas, Sr., has been engaged as traveling "Interviewing" reporter by "La Petite Presse" at a salary of \$10,000 a year.

On that Wyoming jury was what the rebels might call a hen—Mrs. Amelia Hatcher. And didn't she set? Four days, and hatched it out manslaughter in the first degree.—World.

Captain Eyre, of the British steamer Bombay, deserves the treatment Skipper Brown received from the woman of Marblehead, which Whittier has immortalized:

Those who for him—He sailed away
From a leaking ship in Chatham Bay—
Sailing away from a sinking wreck.
Lay by by by! they called to him
As he showed round him or swim
Old Floyd it was for his hard heart,
Was there and I, shivered and carried in court
By the women of Marblehead!

Corbin, who, as a presidential brother-in-law, has done a thriving business in gold gambling, has turned up again; this time in the character of a letter-writer. His correspondence is with Judge Springer, of Ohio, and is of a personal nature. Corbin informs the judge that he has just made a little trifle of \$51,000 by selling his house in New York. He has now removed to New Jersey, where his taxes, in spite of himself, amount to \$70,000. He has reduced his debts to about \$120,000, and is fondly hoping before Grant's term expires to be able to free himself of incumbrances of this nature. He remembers with pleasure the early days of his career, which were passed at the home of the Springers; remarks that he belongs to the Methodist church and tries to deal honestly with all men; never had a lawsuit in his life, and hopes never to give serious offense to others; he grieves to say that the politicians have lately violently assailed him in consequence of his near relationship to the executive, but will endeavor, "when the present flurry is over," so to live that it will puzzle them to assail him again, etc., etc. Delays are dangerous, Corbin; repentance and prompt reformation are infinitely better than vague promises of ultimate amendment.

Rhode Island Democracy.

Proceedings of the State Convention at Providence—The Platform—Nominations for State Officers.

Providence, R. I., (March 12) Correspondence of the New York World.

The delegates elected at the democratic primary meeting in the cities and various towns of the State, assembled in convention at the statehouse in this city this morning, and were called to order, shortly after 11 o'clock, by Gen. John G. Hazard, of the state central committee. The attendance was unusually large.

Messrs George N. Bliss and Gideon Bradford were nominated for the position of chairman. Mr. Bliss was elected having 51 votes to Mr. Bradford's 38.

Mr. Bliss, on taking the chair, made a short address, in which he said that the duty of the convention was to nominate a ticket which would receive the vote of the democratic party, and that, notwithstanding all that was said to the contrary of a democratic party in Rhode Island at the republican convention the other day, there was a democratic party in the state. The republicans were beginning to see that the constitutional amendments, intended to reconstruct the south and secure a republican majority there might secure a democratic majority in the north. The amendments were sure to allow men to go to the polls in this state, who for 40 years past had been prevented from so doing. These men within a year will be allowed the right of suffrage, and it makes no difference whether it is done through a constitutional convention of the state of Rhode Island or by congress, under the amendments which the republicans themselves have made to the constitution of the United States. In either case these men will vote. When these amendments are, by proclamation of the president, announced as adopted, then, if the constitution of Rhode Island does not allow naturalized citizens to vote, I hope they will go to the polls, offer their

votes, and let the officers refuse their ballots if they dare. [Applause.] Several nominations were made for governor, but all were withdrawn except the name of Lyman Pierce, of Providence.

While the appointed committee were pressing Mr. Pierce to accept the nomination, a committee was appointed to prepare resolutions and submit them to the convention. The Hon. Thos. Steere, of Woonsocket, from that committee, reported the following, which were unanimously adopted.

Resolved, That the democracy of Rhode Island now, as heretofore, adheres to the principles of the constitution of the U. S., and demands, and will maintain for others, as far as in them lies, the rights and privileges guaranteed these several states and the people thereof by that, the fundamental law.

Resolved, That the naturalized citizens ought, by the constitutional law of the state, to be permitted and allowed the exercise of the right of suffrage on the same terms as native born citizens.

Resolved, That the present tariff is a gross outrage upon the people of the United States, giving no satisfaction to the manufacturer, and robbing the people by compelling them to pay unnecessarily exorbitant prices for the necessities of life.

Resolved, That the internal revenue system blunderingly continued, is an annoying and expensive, and not nearly so advantageous to the treasury as would be one less inquisitorial and giving excuse for a less number of officials.

Resolved, That the republican party and the present administration preach economy so frequently that they deem themselves excused from practicing it, and Mr. Dawes, of Massachusetts, was honest and truthful when he said that neither the senate or the president would do anything in the way of retrenchment and reform.

Resolved, That the democratic party of the state of Rhode Island holds now, as ever, that the national debt should be paid according to contract.

Resolved, That the fact that, after five years of peace, the union still remains unbroken, and military rule is still maintained in a large portion of the republic, is in itself proof that the party in power has not the disposition to re-establish the union in its ancient symmetry, and to restore real peace, with its attendant blessings, to all the people, and that such a party is unfit to be longer trusted with control of the government.

Mr. Perry presented the following additional resolution, which was adopted.

Resolved, That the democracy of Rhode Island sent greeting to the gallant democracy of Connecticut, and that we cherish the earnest belief that we will cheer the hearts of the patriots every where by the triumphant election of James E. English on the first Monday of April next.

Mr. Pierce having accepted his nomination, the following nominations for state officers were made:

For Lieutenant Governor—Charles B. Cutler, of Warren.

For Secretary of State—William J. Miller, of Bristol.

For General Treasurer—Philip Rider, of Newport.

For Attorney General—Geo. N. Bliss, of East Providence.

After passing the usual resolution of thanks to the president and secretaries, and empowering the state central committee to fill all vacancies that may occur in the ticket, the convention adjourned at 2:30 o'clock p. m.

The ticket is one of the best that the democracy of this state has of late years nominated, and it will be no surprise to knowing politicians if there is a great gain in the democratic returns on election day.

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TAX NOTICE.

To James Mitchell, the heirs of George Bumgard, and all others interested: You are hereby notified that at a sale of land on town lots for the state, county and other taxes, for the year 1867, held at the court house in the city of Cairo, on the 25th and 26th days of July, 1868, I became the purchaser of the following described property, to-wit: In the name of James Mitchell, the N. W. 1/4 of sec. 13 in Twp. 15, R. 10, E. 2, West, 40 acres, for the sum of \$1.00, in the name of George Bumgard's heirs, lot No. 22 in Block No. 40 in the city of Cairo, for the sum of \$24.27, and that the time of redemption will expire on the 25th and 26th days of July, 1870, and if not redeemed at that time I shall apply for a deed and possession of the above described premises.

N. BUNACKER, Purchaser.

Cairo, February 24th, 1870.—lehdzdtkdw

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a Special Execution to me directed by the Clerk of the circuit court of Union county, in the State of Illinois, in favor of Bryan Shaineway and against Elizabeth A. Vail, I will offer at public sale at the south-west corner of the court house, in the city of Cairo, county of Alexander, and State of Illinois, on the 25th and 26th days of July, 1870, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and sunset of said day, to-wit: Lot number 22 in Block number 40, in Block numbered Forty-seven (47) in the First Addition to the city of Cairo, county of Alexander and State of Illinois, with all improvements thereon situated as the property of the said Elizabeth A. Vail, for cash to satisfy said execution.

LOUIS H. MYERS,

Sheriff of Alexander County, Illinois.

March 19th, 1870.—dw

MASTER'S SALE.

State of Illinois, Alexander County, ss. Alexander County Circuit Court.

In the matter of Estate of Hanson who was by John J. Fry, his friend, vs. Thomas H. McWhinness as Guardian for Emanuel Hanson and Emanuel Hanson. On bill for partition.

Public Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree of said court, in the above entitled cause, in said court, on the sixteenth day of February A. D. 1870, of the January term thereof, A. D. 1870, I, John J. Fry, Master in Chancery for said county, will, on the second day of April, A. D. 1870, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, all the south-west corner of the court house in the city of Cairo, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Alexander, State of Illinois, to-wit: A certain lot of land, situate in the north-east quarter of section twenty (20) in township sixteen (16) south range (range) west of the third principal meridian, together with the land and the tenements and hereditaments thereto belonging.

JOHN Q. HARMAN,

Master in Chancery.

Cairo, Ill., March 8th, A. D. 1870.—ldzdw

ATTACHMENT.

State of Illinois, Alexander County, ss. In the Circuit Court of Alexander County, Illinois.

April Term, 1870.

Benjamin M. Mann vs. Q. Von Hummel. Assumpsit, Attachment, demand \$500.

Notice is hereby given to you the said Q. Von Hummel that a writ of Attachment has been issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Alexander Circuit Court of the county of said Benjamin M. Mann against the estate of you the said Q. Von Hummel for the sum of five hundred dollars, or so much interest thereon as may be due, and said writ is now in force to execute, which said writ has been returned by said sheriff executed on Lot 100 in Block Twenty-seven (27) in First Addition to the city of Cairo, Alexander County, Illinois, as the property of said defendant. Now unless you the said Q. Von Hummel, defendant, shall personally be and appear before the circuit court of said county on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden in the city of Cairo, in said county, on the first Monday in the month of April next, give special bail and plead to said action, judgment will be entered against you in favor of said plaintiff and the property attached sold to satisfy the same with costs.

JOHN Q. HARMAN, Clerk.

Cairo, Ill., February 10th, 1870.

Mann & Pope, Plaintiff's Attorneys. febzdw

MASTER'S SALE.

State of Illinois, Alexander County, ss. Alexander County Circuit Court.

In the matter of Henry V. Benninghoff and Jacob Benninghoff, partners, vs. doing business under the firm name of H. V. & J. Benninghoff vs. Peter Zinnerman, Catherine Zinnerman, and Samuel Zinnerman, and Edwin Parsons, Trustees, etc., and Jacob Kline. On bill to foreclose mortgage.

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree of said court, in the above entitled cause, in said court, on the Twentieth day of January, A. D. 1870, of the January term thereof, A. D. 1870, I, John Q. Harman, Master in Chancery for said county, will, on the second day of April, A. D. 1870, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, all the south-west corner of the court house in the city of Cairo, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the First Addition to the city of Cairo, in the county of Alexander and State of Illinois, to-wit:

Lot numbered Twenty-eight (28) in Block numbered Forty-eight (48) in the First Addition to the city of Cairo, in said county, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereto belonging.

JOHN Q. HARMAN,

Master in Chancery.

Cairo, Ill., March 8th, 1870.—ldzdw

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